



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Sujoy Basu et al.

Serial No.: 10/632,447

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For: METHOD AND SYSTEM
FOR SELECTING A
RESOURCE HAVING AN
AFFINITY TO A USER FOR
RESOURCE ALLOCATION)

Examiner: Bayard, Djenane M.

Art Unit: 2141

MAILSTOP AMENDMENTS
Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed February 7, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above reference patent application. Please consider the following remarks for allowance of the above identified patent application.

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PATENT APPLICATION

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TOTAL CLAIMS	26	MINUS	26	= 0	X \$50	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	3	= 0	X \$200	\$ 0
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$360	\$ 0
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OTHER FEES						\$
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